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From: Bowen, lan

Sent: Tue 8/4/2015 8:40:54 PM

Subject: H/S Plan

Template HASP for Inspections.docx

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I will give the HASP from SGC a review, but my understanding from Jason is that one should probably be developed that is specific to EPA activities. It would be developed using the attached template. I can probably prepare one and submit to you for the site file. I still have a few questions regarding the process, but I will ask Deb and Andrew for assistance.

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From: Schmittdiel, Paula

Sent: Tuesday, August 04, 2015 10:17 AM

To: Bowen, Ian

Subject: FW: Today's conference call

lan – Please let me know how you pan to proceed on the issue of a H/S plan for your oversight in the field. Jason does not usually get involved in reviewing our H/S plans – perhaps b/c we are usually following our contractor's plans. In this situation we could decide to follow SGC's H/S plan if we think it is sufficient.

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Sent: Tuesday, August 04, 2015 5:41 AM **To:** Schmittdiel, Paula; Wall, Dan; Bowen, Ian

Cc: Terry Turner; Linda Schmoll; bhansen@formationenv.com

Subject: RE: Today's conference call

Paula,

As requested, out HASP is attached.

Please let me know if you have questions.

Pat

From: Schmittdiel, Paula [mailto:Schmittdiel.Paula@epa.gov]

Sent: Monday, August 3, 2015 11:39 AM **To:** Pat Maley; Wall, Dan; Bowen, Ian

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Subject: RE: Today's conference call

Pat – Quick Q for you. Have you prepared a health and safety plan for the drilling activities or for sampling activities that will be taking place in a week or two? If so, can you send us your plans? We don't normally approve H/S plans but our health and safety person asked if there was a plan in place and so I thought I would ask. It may be sufficient that we can use it for ourselves if we decide to come out and observe your activities.

Thanks

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<u>bhansen@formationenv.com</u> **Subject:** Today's conference call

Paula, Dan and Brent,

I wanted to thank you for the time you devoted to our discussion today as well as your helping us to navigate the SAP/QAPP process. Your input is greatly appreciated as we move forward to understand the system.

As we discussed, the sonic core drilling program will commence on August 5 as scheduled, and we will dispose of drill cuttings by removing the cover material from an area in a low spot on TSF 4, excavating to create a hole, placing the cuttings in the hole and then replacing the capping material. I expect that we will need to import additional soil for capping to ensure that all tails and other material in the cuttings are covered.

Also, as we discussed, with respect to water from well development, such water production is expected to be small in quantity, and will be discharged on the top (flat) surface of the tails impoundments, where it should evaporate rapidly. Water will not be allowed to run off in a manner that would affect the river.

We will send proposed dates for providing our edited work plans, as well as proposed dates and times for our follow-up call during the week of August 10.

Again, your attention is greatly appreciated.

Pat

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